The Smarter Balanced System Requirements Specifications

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| Operating System | Minimum Requirements | Recommended New Purchases |
| Windows | Windows XP (service pack 3)  Pentium 233 MHz processor  128 MB RAM  52 MB hard drive free space | Windows 7+  1GHz processor  1GB RAM  80 GB hard drive or at least 1GB  of hard drive space available |
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| Mac OS X | Mac OS X 10.4.4  Macintosh computer with  Intel x86 or PowerPC G3  (300 MHz) processor,  256 MB RAM, 200 MB  hard drive free space | Mac OS X 10.7+  1 GHz processor  1GB RAM  80 GB hard drive or at least 1GB  of hard drive space available |
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| Linux | Linux  (Ubuntu 9-10, Fedora 6)  Pentium II or AMD K6-III  233 MHz processor  64 MB RAM  52 MB hard drive free space | Linux  (Ubuntu 11.10, Fedora 16)  1 GHz processor  1GB RAM  80 GB hard drive or at least 1GB  of hard drive space available |
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| iOS | iPads 2 running iOS6 | iPads 3+ running iOS6 |
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| Android | Android-based tablets  running Android 4.0+ | Android-based tablets  running Android 4.0+ |
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| Windows | Windows-based tablets  running Windows 8+ | Windows-based tablets  running Windows 8+ |
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| Chrome OS | Chromebooks running  Chrome OS (v19)+ | Chromebooks running  Chrome OS (v19)+ |

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